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#### **AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 18, 2001, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.

### In the Claims:

Please amend claims 1, 5, 13, 20, 23, 24, 31, 33, 42 and 43 as follows. The claims are shown in amended form below. A marked-up version of the amended claims is attached as Appendix A.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST-CLASS MAIL WITH SUFFICIENT POSTAGE IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO: Commissioner for Patents,

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231 ON THIS 14<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF JUNE, 2002.

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## AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL COPY OF PAPERS ORIGINALLY FILED

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response for this application.

2. Petition for Extension of Time (37 C.F.R. 1.136a)

A. X Applicant petitions for extension for the number of months checked below:

	Fee for Other Than	Fee for		
Extension	Small Entity _	Small Entity		
One Month	110.00	55.00		
Two Months	400.00	200.00		
X Three Months	920.00	460.00		
Four Months	1,440.00	720.00		

Subtotal \$920.00

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\$ 402

B. Applicant believes that no extension of the term for response is required, but a provisional petition is made in the event that Applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

3.	FEE FOR CLAIMS Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously <u>Paid for</u>	Extra	Small or Entity		Other Than Small Entity	Additional <u>Fee</u>
	Total 56	Minus(-) 43 =	<u>13</u> X	9.00	or X	18.00	\$ 234
	Indep 6	Minus(-) 4 =	<u>2</u> X	42.00	or X	84.00	\$ 168
	First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim		x	140.00	or X	280.00	<del></del>

4. Total Fee Payment

No fee is believed to be required.

X Attached is a check in the sum of \$1,322.00 for THREE MONTH EXTENSION and EXTRA CLAIMS .

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In the event that any fee calculated above is incorrect, or if any additional fee is required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional amount required by this paper to the Account of the undersigned attorneys, Account No. 03-2775. This transmittal is being submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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